

I understand that many broadcasters want to prevent people from recording an HD broadcast. This is really hard to understand. What difference does it make if we record current programming, or an HD program? Consumers will be faced paying extra for new TV's, and pay extra charges to satellite and cable companies, and yet we can't even watch them if they are not the live broadcast??? Why don't we just ban anything that could in anyway be misused, like knives, guns, sharp sticks, acids, CD's, blank tapes, etc.. We do companies worry so much about the very few that may misuse a product, compared with the 99% that are good loyal customers?